# **Version Control with Git**

## This assignment assumes you know how to use git on your computer locally

- Go to <a href="http://github.com">http://github.com</a> and sign up for an account
- Create a new github repository using the + in the upper righthand corner
- Select a name (it doesn't matter for the assignment, but usually you will pick something informative)
- In your Terminal (Mac / Linux) or git-bash (Windows) go to your local repository
- If your git names your default branch "master" switch this to "main"

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git branch -m master main
```

• Connect your repository to your "remote" github repository (conventionally termed origin)

```
git remote add origin https://github.com/rachelss/curly-enigma.git
```

• Check that "origin" indicates the remote repo

```
git remote -v
```

• Push your local "main" repository to github (i.e. duplicate the entire repository including all the commit history to your remote "origin" site)

```
git push origin main
```

Make a change to your repository, save it, and commit the change

#### Work in pairs for the rest of the assignment

- Assign one partner to be person #1 and one as #2
- (1) in your github repository click the settings button and add #2 as a collaborator
- (2) got to github notifications or check your email to accept the collaboration
- (2) go to the collaborative repository, click on the clone/download button, click the clipboard to copy the repo link
- (2) copy the repo to your computer

```
git clone https://github.com/rachelss/curly-enigma.git
```

- (2) make a change to the repo and push it
- (1) get #2's change

```
git pull origin main
```

Both collaborators now have identical copies of #1's repo

#### **Challenge 1**

Using #1's repo collaboratively

- (2) make a change to the first line of a file and push it
- (1) make a change to the last line
- (1) pull the repo (the changes should be merged automatically)
- (1) push the repo
- (2) pull the repo

Both collaborators now have identical copies of #1's repo

### **Challenge 2**

Using #1's repo collaboratively

- (1) make a change to the first line of the file
- (1) push the repo
- (2) make a change to the first line of the file
- (2) push the repo (this should result in a conflict)
- (2) pull the repo
- (2) manually fix the conflicts (both versions of the conflicting lines are indicated in the file)
- (2) push the repo
- (1) pull the repo

Both collaborators now have identical copies of #1's repo

#### **Challenge 3**

Using #2's repo NOT collaboratively (so you don't have to argue about how you resolve merge conflicts)

- (1) go to #2's repo
- (1) click Fork this gives you your own copy of #2s repo on github
- (1) clone your fork of the repo
- (1) make a change and push the repo
- (1) submit a pull request to get #2 to add your changes to their version of the repo
- (2) review and accept the pull request
- (2) pull your repo
- (2) make a change to the repo and push it
- (1) get changes to the original repo locally and in github

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git remote add upstream https://github.com/rachelss/curly-enigma.git
git pull upstream main
git push origin main
```

Both collaborators now have identical copies of #2's repo locally and on github